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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 9558-001-27

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METHOD FOR RECOVERING HYDROGEN CHLORIDE FROM CHLORINE BASED WASTE AND USE OF RECOVERED HYDROGEN CHLORIDE

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
 Applicant claims small entity status.

2. Specification Total Pages **25**

3. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets

4. Oath or Declaration Total Pages **3**

a. Newly executed (original or copy)

b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with box 16 completed)

5. Incorporation By Reference (*usable if box 4B is checked*)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4B, is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

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ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTS

6. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
 7. 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
 8. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
 9. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
 10. Preliminary Amendment
 11. White Advance Serial No. Postcard
 12. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
 13. Request for Priority
 14. List of Inventors' Names and Addresses
 15. Other:

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Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no.:

Prior application information: Examiner: _____ Group Art Unit: _____

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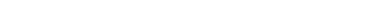
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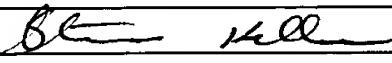
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT | | \$750.00 | | Examiner | | | | | | | | |
| <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Charge any <u>UNDERPAYMENT</u> or credit any <u>OVERPAYMENT</u> in the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1442.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Charge the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1442.</p> | | | | | FEE CALCULATION (continued) | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 3. ADDITIONAL FEES | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description | | | | | |
| <p>2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed.</p> <p>FEE CALCULATION</p> <p>1. BASIC FILING FEE</p> | | | | | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid | | | |
| | | | | | 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge-late filing fee or oath | | | |
| | | | | | 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | | | |
| Large Entity | | Small Entity | | Fee Description | | | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | | | |
| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | | | | Fee Paid | 147 | 2520 | Ex parte reexam. fee | | |
| 101 | 710 | 201 | 355 | Utility filing fee | | | 710.00 | 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | 1-mo. ext. of time |
| 106 | 320 | 206 | 160 | Design filing fee | | | | 116 | 390 | 216 | 195 | 2-mo. ext. of time |
| 107 | 490 | 207 | 245 | Plant filing fee | | | | 117 | 890 | 217 | 445 | 3-mo. ext. of time |
| 108 | 710 | 208 | 355 | Reissue filing fee | | | | 118 | 1390 | 218 | 895 | 4-mo. ext. of time |
| 114 | 150 | 214 | 75 | Provisional filing fee | | | | 128 | 1890 | 228 | 945 | 5-mo. ext. of time |
| SUBTOTAL (1) | | | | \$710.00 | | | | 119 | 310 | 219 | 155 | Notice of Appeal |
| <p>2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES</p> <p>Total. claims 12 - 20* = 0 x \$18 = 0</p> <p>Ind. claims 2 - 3* = 0 x \$80 = 0</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims \$270 = 143 x 440 = 243</p> | | | | | 120 | 310 | 220 | 155 | Appeal Brief | | | |
| Large Entity | | Small Entity | | Fee Description | | | 144 | 600 | 244 | 300 | Plant Issue Fee | |
| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | | | | 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 | | | 126 | 180 | 126 | 180 | IDS Submission | |
| 102 | 80 | 202 | 40 | Independent claims in excess of 3 | | | 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Assignment | 40.00 |
| 104 | 270 | 204 | 135 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | | | 179 | 710 | 279 | 355 | For Filing RCE | |
| 109 | 80 | 209 | 40 | *Reissue independent claims over original patent | | | 169 | 900 | 169 | 900 | Expedited Design | |
| 110 | 18 | 210 | 9 | *Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | | | OTHER (indicate below): | | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL (2) | | | | \$0.00 | | | | | | | | |
| * or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above | | | | | SUBTOTAL (3) | | | | | \$40.00 | | |

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